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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Ali R. Rezai, et al.  
Serial No. : 10/749,621  
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For : EXCESS LEAD RETAINING AND  
MANAGEMENT DEVICES AND  
METHODS OF USING SAME  
Group Art Unit : 3762  
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Mail Stop Amendment  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2007, entry of the amendments set forth below is respectfully requested:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this Amendment.